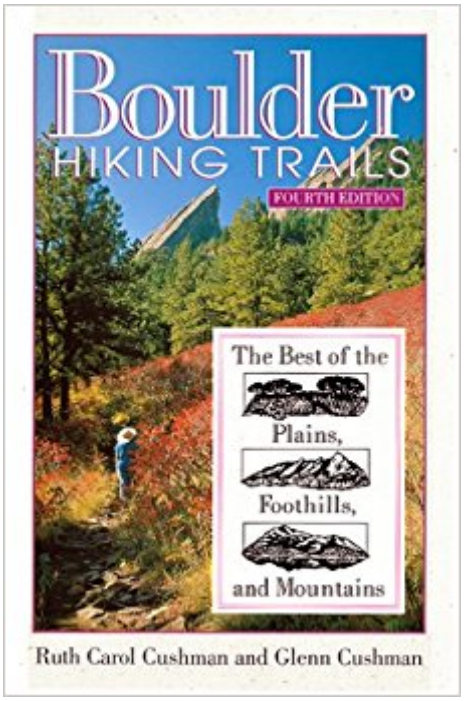
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Boulder Hiking Trails: The Best Of The Plains, Foothills, And Mountains, Fourth Edition



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The plains, foothills, and mountains are all within fifteen minutes of downtown Boulder, making it a hiker’s paradise. Boulder Hiking Trails is the definitive guide to this area, written by two avid hikers, naturalists, and long-time boulder residents. Each description includes snippets of local history and folklore as well as facts about area plant and animal life. For visitors and residents alike-and hikers of all abilities-Boulder Hiking Trails is an indispensable reference for those wanting to explore the natural beauty in and around Boulder, Colorado. * Seventy-four trails ranging from short, easy walks to all-day or multi-day treks * Connections that allow hikers to vary or extend familiar hikes * Elevation, climate, and outdoor safety information * Detailed, easy-to-use, hand-drawn maps * Wheelchair access --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Ruth Carol and Glen Cushman have hiked, skied, and backpacked Colorado trails together for over

thirty years. Ruth Carol is a retired reference librarian, is the coauthor of Boulder County Nature Almanac , The Shortgrass Prairie and Peterson Field Guides: The North American Prairie. Glen is a retired aerospace engineer and is the author of numerous technical papers.

Great present for new neighbours.

Given to a friend who goes to school in Boulder. She loved it

need some better topo maps other wise good descriptions of difficulty. It’s the best reference around. Unfortunately it doesn’t rate by quality.

i was disappointed that the library codes and plasti wrap were still on the book.you definitely can’t give it as a gift. and it looks like i stole it from a library,

Boulder Hiking Trails is simply the best book with which to explore the Boulder areas local trails. The hikes are well described and often include a well researched brief history with delightful details about the various areas and characters who helped make Boulder such a special place in which to enjoy the outdoors. My husband and I have lived in and hiked the trails of the Boulder front range for 30 years. We have been delighted with using this guide to explore new areas and enjoy the outstanding access to public lands of which the local, state and national governments can be very proud. We do sometimes use this book with topographic maps, but for the greater percentage the descriptions and maps are perfectly clear.

I liked the variety of trails in this book, as I am interested in only the Boulder area right now. However, the maps in the book are fairly poor illustrations that aren’t very helpful, and can be confusing at times. All in all, I’d give it a 3.5 if that was possible score here...

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